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DECISION

American Gilsonite Company	:	Gilsonite Lease
29950 S. Bonanza Highway	:	U-073071
Bonanza, UT 84008	:	
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DECISION DATED APRIL 5, 2011 WITHDRAWN

The BLM issued a decision to American Gilsonite Company dated April 5, 2011 to amend Federal Gilsonite Lease U-073071 by removing the following lands due to the lands being transferred to the State of Utah in patent 43-85-0027 dated August 15, 1985.

T. 10 S., R. 24 E., SLM, Utah
sec. 1, lots 1 and 2.

Containing 81.23 acres

The BLM has determined that these lands remain as part of the above lease because the lease interest predates the patent and could not be conveyed by the patent to the State of Utah.

This decision may be appealed to the Interior Board of Land Appeals, Office of the Secretary, in accordance with the regulations contained in 43 CFR, Part 4, and the enclosed Form 1842.1. If an appeal is taken, your notice of appeal must be filed in this office (at the above address) within 30 days from receipt of this decision. The appellant has the burden of showing that the decision appealed from is in error.

If you wish to file a petition (pursuant to regulation 43 CFR 4.21)(58 FR 4939, January 19, 1993) (request) for a stay (suspension) of the effectiveness of this decision during the time that your appeal is being reviewed by the Board, the petition for a stay must accompany your notice of appeal. A petition for a stay is required to show sufficient justification based on the standards listed below. Copies of the notice of appeal and petition for a stay **must** also be submitted to each

party named in this decision and to the Interior Board of Land Appeals and to the appropriate Office of the Solicitor (see 43 CFR 4.413) at the same time the original documents are filed in this office. If you request a stay, you have the burden of proof to demonstrate that a stay should be granted.

Standards for Obtaining a Stay

Except as otherwise provided by law or other pertinent regulation, a petition for a stay of a decision pending appeal shall show sufficient justification based on the following standards.

- (1) The relative harm to the parties if the stay is granted or denied,
- (2) The likelihood of the appellant's success on the merits,
- (3) The likelihood of immediate and irreparable harm if the stay is not granted, and
- (4) Whether the public interest favors granting the stay.

/s/ Roger L. Bankert

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